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Program Overview

The Harrison School District Two (HSD2) in Colorado's Pike's Peak region is working with a new superintendent and a new curriculum department and is supported by a new school board to institute education reform focused on improving instructional practices and raising student achievement. It is in this environment that HSD2's Teacher Incentive Fund (TIF) grant is being implemented. The HSD2 R.E.A.L. performance-based incentive plan provides incentives in three areas: (1) differentiated compensation based on student achievement gains, which includes recruitment and retention incentives for effective educators working in high-need areas; (2) teacher advancement through professional development, which focuses on the teaching of math and reading, as well as other areas where HSD2 is not making adequate yearly progress (AYP); and (3) high-need and hard-to-staff positions in math and science and other special programs.

View the complete TIF profile for the Harrison R.E.A.L. Initiative

Program Information

- Colorado Student Assessment Program
- Colorado Student Assessment Program Achievement Levels
- HSD2 Professional Educator Performance Evaluation System

Select Articles and Reports

- The Colorado Springs Gazette. (June 6, 2007). If test scores rise, so could D-2 paychecks.
- Colorado Student Assessment Program Scores: 2001–2007

CECR Related Resources

- Teacher Incentive Fund Grantee Summary Tool
- Harrison School District Two R.E.A.L. Initiative TIF Grantee Profile